



AGENDA BILL APPROVAL FORM

Agenda Subject: Ordinance No. 6274		Date: November 16, 2009
Department: Finance	Attachments: Ordinance No. 6274	Budget Impact:
Administrative Recommendation: City Council introduce and adopt Ordinance No. 6274.		
Background Summary: Ordinance No. 6274 sets the property tax levy for 2010. N1116-1 F6.6.3, F3.22		
Reviewed by Council & Committees: <input type="checkbox"/> Arts Commission <input type="checkbox"/> Airport <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Examiner <input type="checkbox"/> Human Services <input type="checkbox"/> Park Board <input type="checkbox"/> Planning Comm. COUNCIL COMMITTEES: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finance <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Serv. <input type="checkbox"/> Planning & CD <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public Works <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		Reviewed by Departments & Divisions: <input type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Cemetery <input type="checkbox"/> Finance <input type="checkbox"/> Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Public Works <input type="checkbox"/> Information Services <input type="checkbox"/> M&O <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor <input type="checkbox"/> Parks <input type="checkbox"/> Planning <input type="checkbox"/> Police <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources
Action: Committee Approval: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Council Approval: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Referred to _____ Until ____/____/____ Tabled _____ Until ____/____/____ Call for Public Hearing ____/____/____		
Councilmember: Backus		Staff: Coleman
Meeting Date: November 16, 2009		Item Number: VIII.A.1

ORDINANCE NO. 6 2 7 4

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
AUBURN, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING THE LEVY OF
REGULAR PROPERTY TAXES BY THE CITY OF AUBURN FOR
COLLECTION IN 2010

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Auburn has met and
considered its budget for the calendar year 2010; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to RCW 84.55.120 the City Council held public
hearings on October 5, 2009 and November 16, 2009 after proper notice was
given, to consider the City of Auburn's 2010 budget and the regular property
tax levy to support it; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Auburn, after public hearing,
and after duly considering all relevant evidence and testimony presented, has
determined that the City of Auburn requires property tax revenue and any
increase of new construction and improvements to property, any increase in the
value of state-assessed property, annexations, and any refund levies in order
to discharge the expected expenses and obligations of the City and in its best
interest; and

NOW THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
AUBURN, WASHINGTON, DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Regular property taxes for collection in the City of Auburn
for the year 2010 are authorized in the amount of \$13,094,060. Not including
the addition of new construction and improvements to property, any increase in

the value of state assessed property, and any refund levies available, the regular property tax levy for 2010 collection represents an increase from regular property taxes levied for collection in 2009 of One Hundred Twenty Nine Thousand Six Hundred Forty Four Dollars (\$129,644), which is a one percent (1%) increase in revenue from the previous year.

Section 2. A portion of this levy will be designated to the City's SOS program as provided for in Ordinance 5864 which outlines use to be specifically for the Street Improvements program that includes any improvements to the local streets system consisting of preservation, restoration, and reconstruction of existing pavements, street drainage system, sidewalks, pedestrian walkways, and handicap access ramps, provision of street lights to meet the city's standard, crosswalks, channelization, parking, traffic calming, congestion improvements, and other improvements determined by the council to provide meaningful and beneficial quality of life improvement to the local community and any collector arterial that the Council determines on a case by case basis services primarily a residential character or community public school safe walking route.

Section 3. In order to avoid unnecessary interfund loans caused by uneven cash flow requirements for tax-supported funds, the Finance Director is hereby authorized to allocate individual property tax receipts in a manner that eliminates interfund loans.

Section 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such invalidity or unconstitutionality shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of the Ordinance, as it being hereby expressly declared that this Ordinance and each section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase hereof would have been prepared, proposed, adopted and approved and ratified irrespective of the fact that any one or more section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 5. Implementation. The Mayor is hereby authorized to implement such administrative procedures as may be necessary to carry out the directives of this legislation.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days from and after its passage, approval and publication as provided by law.

INTRODUCED: _____

PASSED: _____

APPROVED: _____

PETER B. LEWIS
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Danielle E. Daskam
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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Daniel B. Heid
City Attorney

PUBLISHED: _____